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## Concerning the Palisades-Goshen Rebuild Project

There are some issues concerning the power pole placement on our farms that we want you to address as you are planning the rebuild project. When these lines were put in, it was before modern day irrigation systems existed. Now with circular pivot irrigation these power poles are in the way of our pivot irrigation systems.

We understand that you are planning on rebuilding the smaller of the two lines running through our farms. Our first proposal and preference would be that you would relocate some poles on the larger line as well as the smaller line to accommodate the current irrigation systems. Proposal 1 image attached

If Proposal 1 is absolutely impossible, Proposal 2 would have the new poles line up with the larger poles so that the irrigation systems would at least be able to irrigate more of the ground that the existing structure would make us waste. Proposal 2 attached

On the Blaine Hillman farm there are already in existence a center pivot irrigation structure that could be better utilized by better pole placement. On he Brent Hillman Farm on Butte Rd. there will be built a new center pivot irrigation system by April 2008. While we are currently designing that system and you are currently designing your power line we would like to work together with you to make a better plan. We would like to be able to have exact coordinates of these new poles to be able to incorporate into our irrigation design as soon as possible.

Our crops will be harvested by September 30, 2007 and be ready for access to rebuild the lines until April 1, 2008 when the next crops will be planted.

As this is farm ground and farming is our livelihood we would appreciate your cooperation on this project.

Sincerely,

Brent Hillman Blaine Hillman



